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Attorney Docket No. 01165-0916.00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Junichi Kitagawa et al.) Group Art Unit: 2891
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Application No.: 10/849,883) Examiner: D. Menz
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Filed: May 21, 2004) Confirmation No.: 8583
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For: PROCESS AND APPARATUS)
FOR FORMING OXIDE FILM,)
AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE)
MATERIAL)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action of February 24, 2006. A fee of \$1020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: August 24, 2006

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